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Title:Need to initiate necessary measures to save the Cashew Industry from the aftermath of global economic recession.

SHRI P. RAJENDRAN (QUILON): The Cashew Industry is facing crisis as the prices of cashew kernel is going down and the export of cashew have been reduced to almost about 50% due to the aftermath of global economic recession. Government of India may intervene to save this traditional industry by giving relief to the industry, promoting internal market and diversification. I urge upon the Hon'ble Minister for Commerce to convene a meeting of the concerned and initiate proper steps to save the Industry.